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1) SUDANESE CHARGE DAWOOD SOUGHT MEETING WITH DIRECTOR
AF/E ON FEB. 18 AND AT CONCLUSION OF LONG RAMBLING
CONVERSATION SAID HIS GOVERNMENT HAD INSTRUCTED HIM TO SAY
THAT AT NO TIME DURING RECENT AFRO-ARAB SYMPOSIUM IN
KHARTOUM HAD THERE BEEN ANY MOTION TO CENSURE THE U.S. FOR
USING ECONOMIC OR OTHER PRESSURE AGAINST COUNTRIES WHICH
DID NOT SUPPORT US IN UN. DAWOOD, WHO ADMITTED HE NOT
WELL INFORMED ON FULL BACKGROUND OF PROBLEM, SAID THERE
SEEMED TO BE SOME REPORT THAT TANZANIANS HAD INTRODUCED
SUCH A CENSURE MOTION AT THE SYMPOSIUM. HE MADE NO
REFERENCE TO PROBLEM OF LEAKED TELEGRAMS. DIRECTOR AF/E
TOOK NOTE OF DAWOOD'S PRESENTATION AND PROMISED TO INFORM
APPROPRIATE DEPT. OFFICERS.

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2) DAWOOD NOTED WITH OBVIOUS SATISFACTION THAT PRESIDENT NIMEIRI HAD RECENTLY SPOKEN OF THE IMPROVING CLIMATE IN US/GOS RELATIONS. MAW

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